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The past few days have brought many new acquisitions to our line of DRESS TRIMMINGS, FANCY NECKWEAR, KID GLOVES, HOSIERY and UNDERWEAR, STAMPED LINENS and FANCY DOVELEYS and ART GOODS, CHILDREN'S CLOAKS and HEADWEAR

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TELEGRAPH 111-234.

TALES OF THE TOWN

T. E. Kane, of south Tanner street, has accepted a position as day operator for the Ohio Southern at this place.

The members of Ewsworth church will give a reception for their pastor and family Tuesday evening, October 15th. A cordial invitation to all.

C. D. Manning and Theo. Mitchell have formed a partnership, and have bought the saloon of Will Yokum at 314 north Main street, Manning Bros. old stand.

The funeral service of Mrs. David Edwards was held from Grace M. E. church Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the remains were interred in Woodlawn cemetery.

William Lipsett addressed a silver meeting at the Lipsett school house, Saturday evening. A large crowd was present and all were intensely interested in arguments relative to the interest of the farmer and the free coinage of silver.

The regular meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held in Trinity M. E. church Tuesday, October 12th, at 2:30 p. m. All members are urgently invited to be present. The first half hour will be devotional exercises.

The horse driven to Mart O'Brien's delivery wagon became frightened this noon at the corner of Grand avenue and Main streets and ran away. "Chapple" Cunningham, who was driving, was thrown out but not hurt. The wagon was considerably damaged.

The Democratic clubs will meet this evening at 7 o'clock at the court house and in a body march to the opera house to attend the Democratic meeting.

Never Say Die.

Many desperate cases of kidney diseases pronounced incurable have been cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. Many physicians use it. H. F. Vort Kamp, n. e. cor. Main and North streets.

Hoover Bros.' ad on page 1 will interest you.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been or Are Going.

Miss Grace Rogers, of New Haven, Conn., is the guest of Mrs. George B. Hildard.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Platt are visiting friends in Dayton and Mansfield.

Mrs. J. M. Arndt and children, of north Main street, are visiting relatives in Kenton.

Dr. Harper returned home this morning after spending the past week with his son Harry at Ottawa.

Lieut. and Mrs. Mont Wingate returned home Saturday from Beaver Dam, where they visited relatives.

Misses Kate Cunningham and Mayme Malloy spent Sunday with friends in Buckland and Glyndon.

Miss Nina Dalzell, who has been visiting friends in the city, returned to her home in Delphos this morning.

Mrs. W. H. Warner and daughter, of north Main street, are home after a visit with friends in Ottawa and Leipsic.

Miss Laurel C. Hoessli, of 425 south Tanner street, spent Sunday in Celina, the guest of Dr. and Mrs. T. P. Taylor.

Miss Laura Flahie, of Findlay, spent Sunday here, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Flahie, of north Elizabeth street.

Sol Wiesenthal and his brother Dave are at Cincinnati attending the marriage of Miss Grace Marianthal, of that city, to Sam C. Bachman, of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil. Holman and daughter, Miss Elithia, accompanied by Mr. Holman's sister, Mrs. Barbara McKinney, of 613 east North street, left this morning in a carriage for Defiance to visit friends and relatives, and especially Mr. Holman and Mrs. McKinney, sister and brother-in-laws of Rev. and Mrs. James Tingle, of Defiance, both of whom are, or have been, very feeble.

There will be a meeting of the South Side Democratic Club in their room to-morrow evening. Chas. H. Adkins and others will speak. There will be important business brought before the meeting.

All friends of silver are requested to meet at the court house promptly at 7 o'clock this evening and go in a body to hear Hon. W. L. Kerr on the silver issue.

Hoover Bros.' ad on page 1 will interest you.

STRUCK A MATCH

And the Head Flew Off and Ignited a Couch.

DEATH LIKELY TO RESULT.

Disastrous Fire Narrowly Averted at W. H. Roof's House—A Babe Almost Suffocated—Three Injured—Mrs. Roof Very Ill.

The residence of William H. Roof, at 1606 east Wayne street, at 10 o'clock last night, was a scene of great excitement for a few minutes, and as a result, Mrs. Roof, who was seriously ill at the time, may die from the effects of the intense excitement. The excitement was created by the catching fire of a cot in a room adjoining the sick room. Mr. Roof and one of his sons, Clarence, were both badly burned, a babe was nearly suffocated in the dense smoke and Mrs. A. M. Roof, daughter-in-law of the sick woman, had one of her arms terribly cut by a broken pane of glass.

Mrs. Roof had been ill for some time, suffering from bowel trouble, and on account of her illness, her sons, Clarence, Roof, a moulder, and A. M. Roof, of Stolzenbach's bakery, and the latter's wife, called at the parents' residence to spend the evening.

About 10 o'clock, when the young people were preparing to go home, one of the young men started to light a cigar. As he ignited a match on his trousers the burning brimstone flew off and lit in the light fringe of a cot upon which the two young ladies were sitting. In an instant the entire cot was enveloped in flames and the ladies barely escaped with out having their dresses ignited. All efforts to extinguish the flames for a time were in vain, but Mr. Roof and his sons managed to prevent the fire from communicating with only one of the other articles of furniture in the room. The smoke became so dense that an infant child in the room was nearly suffocated.

The sick woman became greatly excited and springing from her bed ran up stairs screaming. Mrs. A. M. Roof discovered that the babe was nearly suffocated and in an effort to admit some fresh air into the room ran her right hand and arm through a window glass.

The burning cot was finally dragged outside the house and when the intense excitement had abated somewhat it was discovered that the elder Mr. Roof and the younger, Clarence, had both lost their hands and wrists badly burned during the battle with the flames, and that Mrs. A. M. Roof had sustained an ugly wound in the arm she had run through the window pane. A gash several inches long was cut in the forearm and the wound closed properly.

Mr. Roof and his son cleaned their injuries as best they could while a horse and buggy was secured and the injured man was hurriedly driven to Dr. H. H. Schaefer, where the wound in the arm was properly dressed. Several stitches were necessary to draw the torn flesh together.

The effects of the intense excitement resulted in the elder Mr. Roof becoming much worse and at 10 o'clock this morning her condition was considered serious, and Dr. Bowser was summoned. To-day she rested a little easier, but it is feared that the shock may result seriously.

BURIED TO-DAY.

Funeral of James Robb, Who Was Drowned Saturday.

The funeral service of James Robb, who was drowned in a tank of partly refined oil at the Solar refinery Saturday morning, was held this afternoon at 1 o'clock and were largely attended, the members of Solar Lodge I. O. O. F. attending in a body.

The tank in which Robb met his untimely death Saturday, was destroyed by fire Saturday afternoon.

LIMA CLUB DEFEATED.

Wapakoneta Wins the Game in a Score of 12 to 6.

The Cuban and Page Fence Giants, who were to have played base ball at Wapakoneta Saturday and Sunday, failed to materialize and a game was arranged between a crowd of Lima and Wapakoneta fans.

The Lima club was made up of players from the city league clubs, and the other contestants were the members of the regular Wapakoneta team.

The batteries were Lima—Faurot, Burden and Seals; Wapakoneta—Ewing and Zinch.

The Wapakoneta team won the game in a score of 12 to 6. A large number of local enthusiasts were present.

Hoover Bros.' ad on page 1 will interest you.

I Have Tried Shatt's Fresh Sausage and Scapple and pronounce it the finest I have ever eaten. A trial will convince you of the same fact. If your grocer or butcher does not have it, insist upon his keeping it and accept no other. We serve our goods fresh every morning.

Hoover Bros.' ad on page 1 will interest you.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Mrs. Shamberger Struck by an Electric Street Car
Taken Out from Under the Wheels—She Was Dead, and Did Not Hear the Car

DEATH LIKELY TO RESULT.

Barbara Shamberger, a lady about eighty years of age, while crossing the street railway in front of Geo. W. James' house on east Market street this afternoon about 2 o'clock, was struck by a street car and barely escaped being ground to death beneath the wheels of the car. The old lady is almost deaf and she was wearing a sun bonnet, and was looking down to the ground as she crossed the street. The people who saw her crossing the street called to her, but she could neither hear them nor the approaching street car. The motorman, Paabaker, did all in his power to stop the car. He rang the gong and yelled to the lady. He applied the brakes, and when the car struck her the wheels were sliding on the track. She was knocked down, her bark falling across the rail. It was almost a miracle that she was not killed, for when the car stopped she was lying across the track and immediately in front of the wheels. She was carried into Mr. James' residence and a physician summoned. An examination showed an ugly scalp wound about eight inches long on the side of the head above the left ear. She suffered in the back and shoulders and it is feared she is injured internally.

Mrs. Shamberger is a sister to Mrs. Humphrey, who lives on south Elizabeth street, near the Elizabeth street school house. After her wounds had been dressed Grosjean's ambulance took her to Mrs. Humphrey's residence on south Elizabeth street.

SUDDEN DEATH.

Mrs. Melinda Satterthwaite Died at 1 O'Clock To-day.

Mrs. Melinda, widow of the late Joseph Satterthwaite, died about 1 o'clock this afternoon, her death resulting quite suddenly from heart trouble and general debility. The deceased was quite aged. She leaves a son, Edward Satterthwaite, of Market and Jackson streets.

GOV. BUSHNELL

Stops in Lima While on His Way to Spencerville

Asa Bushnell, the governor of this state, was in the city this morning for a short time shaking hands with his political friends. The governor arrived over the Ohio Southern about 11 o'clock, and took the noon train on the Chicago & Erie for Spencerville, where he speaks at a political meeting this afternoon.

The tramore's attention was called to the accident and the freight train was stopped and the body taken from under the car. It was found that the truss rod had cut his head from the front lower jaw bone around to the back part of his head where it had pierced the brain. The body had become frightfully bruised by being drawn and bumped over the

HIS NECK BROKEN.

Michael Noonan, of this City, Killed at Van Wert.

TRIED TO BOARD A TRAIN.

His Foot Slipped Through an Iron Step and He Was Dragged Three Squares by a P. Ft. W. & C. Train—He was Brought Here

The parents of Michael Noonan received the sad intelligence last evening that their son had been killed by Pennsylvania freight train No 9 at Van Wert.

Michael Noonan was a young man of industrious habits and well known among many people in this city. For the last weeks he has been working on the water works plant at Delphos, and has been in the employ of Sheriff Fisher. Saturday evening he came home to spend Sunday. Yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, he took the P. Ft. W. & C. passenger train intending to get off the train at Delphos. While on the train he accidentally dropped into a sleep and did not awaken at Delphos. The conductor overlooked him and permitted him to ride on through. At Van Wert he awoke and left the train. He was anxious to get to Delphos in the evening. When east bound fast freight No. 72 passed about 5:30 he attempted to board it. It was running at a rapid rate when he made the leap that cost him his life. He grabbed the side iron and raised himself so as to alight on the iron step. He misjudged the place of the step, and his foot slipping through the opening of the step, his grip on the side iron was loosened and he fell backwards. When his leg was loosened his body, by some means known to him, but to no one else, was caught and thrown over onto the track between the rails. It was impossible for him to free himself from the dangerous place. The truss rod to the beam or the car under which he fell was close to the track and was passing over the line in which his body laid. The rod caught the unfortunate man on the lower left jaw and held him firmly as he was dragged over three squares. The tramore's attention was called to the accident and the freight train was stopped and the body taken from under the car. It was found that the truss rod had cut his head from the front lower jaw bone around to the back part of his head where it had pierced the brain. The body had become frightfully bruised by being drawn and bumped over the

hard cross ties. When taken from under the car he was dead. His neck was broken and his ribs were crushed in. Paper on his person identified him. His remains were taken in charge by an undertaker of the place, and his parents informed the sad accident.

Undertaker Mathing left last night for Van Wert to bring the dead man to this city, and it was with difficulty that he succeeded in getting the body from the undertaker, who at first would not give up the remains to the relatives unless he purchased a casket there. But Mathing finally succeeded in securing the remains and brought them to Lima this morning on the express.

The dead man was 27 years of age, unmarried and a member of St. R. Catholic church.

No Other Store

Can show a hand-crafter collection of Women's Coats, Capes and Wraps than the one we are exhibiting this week in the spacious Coat department on the second floor. In addition to the unequalled display, the prices will be found inordinately small in every particular.

G. E. BAKER,

101 Public Square
Notice, German Club.
Mr. Ambrose Wertz, of Sidney, a prominent and eloquent orator, will address the German Club on the political issues of the day, next Wednesday evening.

The Democratic Glee Club will sing from 7 till 7:30 this evening at the Democratic meeting in the opera house



We've got the taste, the experience and the materials to please the artist. We believe we have the best and the prettiest trimmed hats in Lima.

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Simon Bros. will give a pound of Taffy with every pound we buy. Taffy, only 9¢.

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With double soles, Scotch edge, railroad edge, rope stitch, calf lined, with or without cork soles. All the newest improved weather protections, also light-weight, dressy shoes for evening wear. All made on new lasts, such as

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PRICE THREE CENTS.

NEAPOLIS ABLAZE.

Reception of Nominated Bryan in Twin Cities.

IN THE TROLLEY CAR.

Mr. Bryan Held Receptions in Hotels at St. Paul and Minneapolis He Made Four Speeches at Night.

Minneapolis, Oct. 13.—William Jennings Bryan came from St. Paul to his city and Minneapolis received it with enthusiasm. He spoke to meetings at night in these

sition hall; Bridge square, on the Mississippi river just the hall; Lyceum theater to an e of women, and Yale place, a square in the city.

Bryan rested in St. Paul al-

g. He stayed in his room at the Lyceum until after lunch, when he

informal reception in the par-

lith Mrs. Bryan by his side to

the stood in a doorway, and the

greeted the hundreds of per-

son who filed past during the course

bryan having expressed a prefer-

to make the journey between the

ties by trolley rather than in

the car, a special car elabor-

ated was engaged. Arrived,

Arrived, a second reception was held

West House and Mr. and Mrs.

were driven to the home of State-

S. B. Howard, where they

g their absence the Veteran

club of Minneapolis, 200 gray

wearers, marched to the hotel,

made a circle in the spacious

When he came out they gave

royal reception and serenaded

Exposition hall. No such

has been packed within the

of that building since the day

republican convention nominated

Benjamin Harrison for presi-

1892.

a seating capacity of 8,000.

the hall the crowd was an-

out the services of a square of

en were required to force an

for Mr. Bryan when he ar-

the hall was profusely dec-

orator Philip B. Winsted pre-

fer this meeting and after the

tration which welcomed the

he had subsided, he introduced

larchard, who on behalf of "A

art of the laboring class of

polis," presented to Mr. Bryan

and made, so the speaker said,

and silver at the ratio of 16

This brought another outburst

as Mr. Bryan stepped to

at the stage to begin his

When the high's speechmak-

inished Mr. Bryan and his

ed to his private car, pre-

to spend the night there rather

disturbed early in the morn-

the departure for Duluth at an

our.

ssman Towne, the leader of

the movement in this state,

he party here and will accom-

throughout the state.

position hall Mr. Bryan said:

Chairman, I would not favor

coining of silver did I not be-

would be for the best interests

who tell in this country,

he not belonged to that class

as workingmen because my

ion has been that of a lawyer,

ave been taught to believe that

al profession must have some

rest upon as a foundation,

do not produce wealth. Un-

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er, and I have been brought

believe that all the classes which

on the producers of wealth can

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are prosperous. And therefore,

of entirely unselfish when I de-

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o have more than enough to eat

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of the comfortable, because

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enjoying, you discourage the

tion of wealth, so they will

o produce.

informed that the Republi-

circulated in this city an edi-

which was once published in the

World-Herald. I was editor of

the World-Herald for two

but my editorial work began

two years after the production

editorial which has been circ-

l those who are circulating that

al know that I am not responsi-

it, that it was published before

at all connected with the paper,

one who have circulated it have

son to know that they are

ng me with that for which I

o responsible. And if they have

own down it before, they shall know

big city now, and they cannot be

on criticism if they ever use it

fact that they attempt to use an

al which I did not write is suf-

proof that they have never been

find anything in the four years

congressional life which they

re. I want to ask you why

it is that every gold bug says you are

shyish and that you are interested by

shyish considerations, while every

gold bug pretends to be a philanthrop-

ist and only loves honest money be-

cause it will help our people.

I want to know why it is that these

gold bugs are so sure that everybody

else will be influenced by their own in-

terest and so positive that personal in-

terests cannot affect them. Why is it

not so? I will tell you why. If

a man believes a thing is good, for

himself and also good for others, he

will admit it is good for him if

he rises up to the full height of his

mental stature and he says "I shall

let them hurt themselves?" No. He

says "I will ram the gold standard

down their throats whether they want

it or not, because I have them better,

then I have myself."

Do you believe it, my friends? I

don't. I say that the banker is just

as good as anybody else, but I deny

that he is any better. I admit that he

is as unscrupulous as Mr. A., but I deny

that he is less shyish.

Mr. Bryan's Diary.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—Mr. Bryan's attorney in Ohio, Indiana and Illinois is as yet in an embryonic state, none of the

places at which he is to speak having

yet been decided upon. After spending

Sunday, October 13, at Detroit, Mr.

Bryan goes into Ohio, at which he will

spend all night under shelter of Sandy Hook

and made four unsuccessful attempts

to return to her station between the

light ships. Each time the tall comber

swept her decks and the flying spray

shut out all sight from her captain.

Finally at about 3:30 a. m. on the fifth

attempt the Alaska regained her station.

Shortly afterwards the big steamer

After, Kaiser Wilhelm II, Cevic and

Anchoria, which had been hove to we

off shore, turned their heads toward

the light ship and pilots were put on

board each. The After had a stormy

passage almost from the time of leaving.

When near Nantucket the wind in-

creased to a furious gale, blowing with

a force of 11 degrees, Beaufort scale.

It was from northeast and the course

of the ship was direct in before it.

The After was off Fire Island at about

10:30. She slowed up her engines and

slowly crept to the neighborhood of

the light ship.

The Kaiser Wilhelm II had generally

fine weather from Gibraltar until when

the hurricane overtook her. She

plunged and rolled in the huge seas

making all hands uncomfortable, but

sustained no damages.

CHANGE OF PULPITS.

St. Louis Loses a Pastor Who Will

Locate in San Francisco.

San Francisco, Oct. 13.—The Compton

Hill Congregational church of St. Louis has lost a pastor and by the

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WICKED COERCION.

PRACTICED UPON EMPLOYEES BY BIG CORPORATIONS

Compelled to Work for McKinley or Lose Their Jobs—An Agent of the McCormick Harvesting Machine Company Tells Who Would Not Be Bribed.

The wholesale bulldozing of their employees by the railroads and other great corporations to compel them to vote for McKinley is a new feature of American politics and is an infamous one. Men can attempt to outwit, and to publish statements to deny, such courageous methods are being used to secure votes but the proof is so plain and overwhelming that successful denial is impossible.

The Chicago Record, itself a strong advocate of the good standard, and therefore, not disposed to misrepresent its own side, contained the following dispatch on the morning of the 1st from Cobden, Ill., simply returning this charge:

Cobden, Ill., Sept. 18.—James Davis, William Walker, Thomas Smith and Charles Fuller, residents of this place, employed as track layers by the contractors laying the steel of the new double track of the Illinois Central between Makanda and Dongola, were notified this morning by their foreman, McCoy, to report to him and receive checks for their time. Twelve non-resident laborers received the same notice. McCoy informed them that the only reason that he could give for their dismissal was that they were advocating the cause of Bryan and free silver too freely. Their places were promptly filled by Italians. As soon as the news reached this place the Bryan followers became very angry and excitement is at fever heat tonight.

On Sept. 10 the McCormick Harvesting Machine company of Chicago sent the following circular to all its agents throughout the country:

Dear Sir: We send you by express yesterday a package of sound money literature. We want by return mail an estimate from you as to how much of this can be used in your territory, and an enumeration of the kind that will be most effective. We will then send you another supply by express, and will request in advance that you supply it to your travelers and instruct them to use it just the same as though it were advertising matter for the sale of our machinery.

We surely have a right to expect that all McCormick employees have the interest of the company at heart, and will take up this matter and carry it out as requested.

Yours truly,
MCCORMICK HARVESTING MACHINE COMPANY

The idea that a corporation has the right to the votes of its agents and employees, and to make mere political servants of them has not heretofore, we believe, been advanced in this country. Men who sell their labor have not heretofore been compelled to sell their votes with it. They have still been American freemen at liberty to affiliate with any party and cast their votes as they might please. But the encroachments of modern corporations, organized to promote party selfish interests do not, it seems, stop short of attempts to make political serfs of their employees. Upon receipt of the above circular the agent of the McCormick Harvesting Machine company at Carthage, Mo., who seems to have an idea that he is still a free and independent citizen, in matters political, at least, replied in the following sprited manner:

McCormick Harvesting Machine company—Dear Sir—I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your favor of the 10th last. You are on a cold trail. Missouri will give Bryan 60,000 majority. If these letters are written by authority of your company, every Missouri farmer who uses a McCormick harvester, deserves to sell his wheat for 40 cents a bushel.

[Signed.] J. H. WILSON.

This is a most appropriate reply to such a circular. It is strange beyond comprehension that the McCormick Harvester company, of all the corporations in existence, should attempt to coerce its agents and employees to support the existing gold standard system of finance. It has grown enormously rich from the sale of its machines to the farmers of the country. It has no business relations with any other class of people. One would think it would naturally oppose the gold standard, under the operations of which agriculture has suffered most and the prices of all farm products have fallen even below the cost of production; and that it would favor the remonetization of silver, the immediate result of which would be to make agriculture once more prosperous and profitable. But it has all little regard for its customers as for its employees. It will excite no wonder that the agent at Carthage, Mo., should protest against farmers harvesting 40-cent wheat on McCormick machines.

Other instances of the attempts of corporations to coerce their employees are numerous. A few days ago Martin Spangler, an expert electrician, called at National Democratic headquarters and stated that he, with two other employees of the General Electric Light company of Chicago, had been discharged because they refused to join the McKinley club. According to Mr. Spangler's statement, the foreman of the company approached them last Friday and asked them to join a McKinley club. Spangler and two of his fellow-employees refused to do so. What more need be said?—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

The Republican Remedy—More Taxes. Mr. John Sherman to Emmet Rittenhouse:

"Mansfield, O., Sept. 22, 1896.—Dear Sir.—The only way in which a Republican administration can correct the evils of the past is by increasing the revenue law by a new tariff law, and this, I fear, is not practicable.

Great Events and Chairmen of Committees of the State party sat to deliberate. He was asked to work at each during the campaign.

A. B. Spangler, a citizen of the South, has seen all of the West. Chicago is not the way to go, so he is going to California. He has a large family of children and he has been told that the Superintendent of the Western Street Railway Company demands that he would not wear a McKinley button. According to Mr. Spangler's statement, he gave every employee of the company a McKinley button, and ordered them to wear it. Mr. Spangler threw his button away, and was promptly discharged. He states that the firm bosses were directed to pin McKinley badges and buttons on the conductors and drivers. Mr. Spangler has been in the employ of the company three and a half years. His only offense was that he would not wear a McKinley button. "It is safe to say," said Mr. Spangler, "that more than three-fourths of the street railway employees in Chicago are for Bryan, yet they are compelled to join the McKinley clubs and wear McKinley badges or lose their jobs. I know what I am saying when I assert that three-fourths of the members of the street railway McKinley clubs, and so-called sound money clubs, will vote for Bryan. They say they are compelled to submit to coercion on account of their families, but when they get behind the Australian ballot-box curtain they will avenge the wrong."



Aired. The most durable and easily managed framework is made of bamboo set together in slots, while a durable covering that will not readily soil is the dull colored denims, either figured or plain.

The inside of the screen may be covered with white oilcloth, the sort used commonly upon the kitchen tables, so that when soiled it may be readily wiped off. On one side fasten hooks, upon which will be hung stockings or any small article of wearing apparel, to dry or to air after ironing. Another section of the screen will be arranged in bags, receptacles for dust cloths, cleaning cloths, etc., or any of the usually but necessary implements of household warfare.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Mosquito Eggs.

The eggs of the mosquito are fastened together by viscid secretion from the insect's body. From 250 to 300 eggs are laid at a time, and the little boat-shaped mass is so constructed that it will not overturn. It cannot be sunk in any way injured by wind, rain or water. It is abandoned by the insect, and the eggs are hatched by the heat of the sun or atmosphere. A temperature below freezing is said not to destroy the vitality of the mosquito's eggs.

Disease attacks the weak and debilitated. Keep yourself healthy and strong by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

A Silverite's Wedding

"You will be married at high noon, I suppose?" said Tenspot to his free silver friend.

"I shall be married at 16 minutes to 1," replied the white metal man.—Detroit Free Press.

Glad Tidings.

The grand specific for Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Rheumatism, Costiveness, General Debility, etc., is Bacon's Celery King for the Nerves. This great herbal tonic stimulates the digestive organs, regulates the Liver and restores the system to vigorous health and energies. Samples free. Large packages 50c and 25c. Sold only by Wm. M. Melville.

In 1841 Smyrna was visited by a conflagration which destroyed 12,000 houses. The buildings destroyed were light wooden structures, and a fire once kindled in a town of frame buildings closely crowded together is almost impossible to subdue.

Horrible! Horrible!

Innocent children by the thousand are constantly dying from diarrhoea whose lives might be saved. How quickly the demon works! Flesh speedily wastes away as though subjected to fire. You try change of water, and change of food, and change of air. The handiest and quickest and safest thing you can do is to procure at once a bottle of Dr. Hand's Diarrhoea Mixture, at any drug store, frx 25c. It's wonderful how quickly it brings good results.

A Qualified Answer,

Mr. Frankstown—Miss Bloomfield is as pretty as the day is long. Don't you think so?

Mr. Homewood—I have never seen her except at evening gatherings.

Bicycle riders, football players and athletes, generally, find a sovereign remedy for the sprains and bruises and cuts to which they are constantly liable, in Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil.

Many of your friends, or people whom you know of, have contracted consumption, pneumonia or other fatal diseases by neglect of a simple cold or cough. Foley's Honey and Tar, a safe, sure and pleasant cough medicine would have saved them. It is guaranteed. H. F. Vortkamp, n. e. cor. Main and North streets.

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Screen Recommended to Dwellers in Flat May Be Used Anywhere.

People who occupy flats resort to all manner of makeshifts, many of them bits of real ingenuity. The utility screen is one of the contrivances which, while being an ornament to the room, is essentially useful. The outside of the screen may be decorated in any way de-

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Our Kitchen

No kitchen is kept cleaner than the premises devoted to the manufacture of **NONE SUCH Mince Meat**. No housewife can be more fastidious in the matter of preparing food than we are in the selection and preparation of the materials of which it is made. The flavor of currants (for one thing) is more thoroughly developed than in any of perfected appliances, than it would be possible to do it by hand.

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Time of departure of trains from
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C. H. & R. R.

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CALEB H. NORRIS,
of Marion County.

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For Probate Judge,
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For Clerk of the Court,
U. M. SHAPPELL.

For County Auditor,
PHILIP. WALTHER.

For Commissioner,
T. C. BURNS.

For County Recorder,
ABRAM HARROD.

For Prosecuting Attorney,
J. C. RIBERON.

For Infirmary Director,
ELI MECHLING.

It is customary with the gold contingent
to deprecate any man who is for silver,
when the fact is that a majority of the
scholars, statesmen, thinkers and economic
students of the old world favor free silver.

—Senator Henry M. Teller.

Bismarck's opinion ought to be quite
as good as Carl Schurz's.

NINE-TENTHS

Are Workers and Strikers for Mc-
Kinley.

Republican Committeemen Petition to
Put the Boisterous Ticket on the Ballot.

MARYSVILLE, OHIO, October 10—
A committee of prominent Democrats
went from here to Columbus yesterday
and found that the list of
petitioners from Union county, whom
the Palmer-Buckner ticket placed on
the ballot numbered 103, 83 of whom
are Republicans. The list includes
the names of the County Republican
Executive Committee, county officials,
etc.

The lists were sworn to respectively
by Col. A. B. Robinson, chairman
of the Republican County Executive
Committee; J. W. Tilton, ex-mayor,
and John F. Zwerner, all workers for
McKinley.

Among the most prominent Repub-
licans whose signatures appear are
the following: A. B. Robinson, ex-
congressman; Hon. F. T. Arthur,
prominent attorney; W. O. Shearer,
editor of Marysville Tribune; W. C. Burlington,
County Auditor; Hon. E. W. Porter,
ex-prosecuting attorney; Sam A.
Hudson, ex-county auditor; Jasper
Gosnell, County Clerk; Joe Kennedy,
attorney; L. B. Harvey, County Su-
veyor; D. W. Webb, ex-postmaster;
J. J. Schott, City Treasurer; C. M.
Ingram, ex-Chairman County Executive
Committee; Hon. J. L. Cameron,
prominent attorney; John M. Broderick,
prominent attorney; Robert M.
McCrory, ex-county clerk; Cyrus Zim-
merman; County Commissioner; C. S.
Hamilton, boot and shoe dealer; Dr.
W. F. White, Rev. C. W. Harris, Dr.
C. D. Mills, G. S. Chapman, cashier
of People's Bank, and Leroy Decker,
jeweler.

This is looked upon by both Re-
publicans and Democrats to be one
of the greatest frauds in political
annals. It is believed by many that
there are not more than 10 gold
standard Democrats on the entire
list. The foregoing men have certi-
fied that they have not subscribed to
any other nomination of candidates
for any of the above offices.

THIS IS A DEMOCRATIC PROPOSITION.

If Mr. Bryan, or any other human
being, will show that this country,
when it had the free coinage of both
silver and gold at the ratio of 16 to 1,
or any other ratio, was ever able to
bring the bullion value of both metals
side by side, and keep them
together, thus securing and main-
taining their circulation as money
side by side as money. The
next is to keep either of the metals
as money from going to a premium
over the other, by giving the right to
all debtors to pay in either money, at
their choice. In this way he can for
the time being use the one that is
most convenient, or, if any differ-
ence, the cheaper of the two in dis-
charging his obligation. And if
both are made equal in debt-paying
power then one cannot expel the other.

If one of the coins is hoarded it
becomes scarce and hard to get and
may go to a premium. This makes
double demand for the other, and
this demand keeps it equal in
value with the one that had dis-
appeared or was at a premium, and
when it was discovered that there is
no difference in their value, there
will be no difference in their circula-
tion. Without the choice of the
debtor to pay in either metal there
is no object in the use of both metals
as money. That privilege protects
him against the shrinkage in values
which attaches to the single gold
standard and compels the debtors to
pay in scarce money, made doubly
dear by the shrinkage in values out
of which he must make his money to
meet his obligations. In examining
all questions of money it is necessary
to always keep in mind the fact that
the volume of standard money con-
trols the general prices of all things
bought and sold in the world, and
whenever the volume is reduced the
price of all labor, products and prop-
erty will be reduced in proportion.
When all wage workers, all producers
and all property owners understand
this principle they will see their way
clear to vote for the double standard
and use every effort to defeat the
single gold standard, which means
lower prices of all commodities and
property.

Geo. W. JAMES
Lima, Oct. 12, '96.

200 Y. M. C. A. Star Course Tickets
Are to be sold to the general public
before Nov. 3d, the date of first enter-
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for members. Secure your tickets
now while they last.

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TUESDAY'S MUSICAL CHAT.

The opening program of the year's
work of the Sappho Club was given
on Thursday afternoon. The club
was received at the home of Mrs.
Raymond D. Kahle, on west North
street. The year's work is excellently
arranged and presents an interesting
and progressive study of the divi-
sion in song and instrumentation.
The excellence of the productions
rendered at this initial meeting prom-
ises much for the year.

The death of Frau Lohse-Klafsky
a few days ago in Berlin removes
from the concert and operatic stage
perhaps the greatest of dramatic sop-
ranos which this generation has
produced. A majestic voice of great
grandeur and beauty, a personage
filled with keenest sensibilities, and
the power to express in song and ac-
tion all of the emotions of her sex,
she was indeed a star of the first mag-
nitude.

The writer had the privilege of
hearing her when she was at her very
best, and will never forget the im-
pressive massiveness and overpower-
ing magnitude of her wonderful voice,
which withal was of sweetest qual-
ity and purity. In Wagnerian opera she
was perhaps greatest. Her place
there will be hard to fill. The world
of music, in her death, has sustained
a great loss.

It is rumored that the musical de-
partment of Lima College will give a
series of recitals or concerts during
the present season with the object of
securing sufficient money to complete
the payments upon their instruments.
A worthy cause by excellent musi-
cians. May they have Lima's sup-
port.

We notice in the amusements for
the Y. M. C. A. Star course that two
very excellent musical attractions
will form a component part of their
excellent scheme. This course has
become a fixture in our city, and with
each recurring year presents to the
music lovers opportunity for hearing
some very excellent concerts. Those promised in this year's course
are of a high order.

We look with pleasure upon the ef-
fort to organize a symphony orches-
tra on the part of Prof. Frank Griffin
and the musicians he has allied with
himself. It will be a long step for-
ward for our city to have such an
organization, and with the very
competent musicians presented upon
the list success, artistically at least,
will surely crown the effort. This organization should
have the support of our citizens in
all ways. We may need a little ed-
ucation to bring us to the point of
enjoying this high form of musical
composition, yet with a body of mu-
sicians such as these we will soon
delight in the most classic selections.

The TIMES-DEMOCRAT promises
the new organization its hearty sup-
port and encouragement.

It is customary with the gold contingent
to deprecate any man who is for silver,
when the fact is that a majority of the
scholars, statesmen, thinkers and economic
students of the old world favor free silver.

—Senator Henry M. Teller.

Marschall's opinion ought to be quite
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KNEIPP MALT COFFEE
FOR YOUR HEALTH.—12 CENTS PER POUND.

Malt Coffee, is a wholesome beverage for young and old, strong
and complete substitute for as well as a splendid addition to any
tea.

by the following well known grocers:
Hoffield & Son, 318 N. Z. A. Crosson & Co., 112 E. Market.
J. A. Hall, 201 S. Main.
S. Spellacy, 814 S. Main.
A. J. Sullivan, 140 S. Main.
T. P. Jones, 701 S. Main.
F. A. Holland, 148 N. Main.

Y. M. C. A. SUPPER
To be Given the Successful Company
in the Membership Contest.

At six o'clock this evening the
boys who won the laurels in the
membership contest will be feted
with roast turkey, escalloped oysters,
pork and beans, ice cream and cake,
and everything else which goes to
make up a genuine New England
supper.

Immediately following the supper
a "comic man," also a "prestidigitator"
from Toledo, will be on hand to
make things a little lively. At
about 8 o'clock a "breach of promise"
easel is to be tried in the hall of the
association, which will last two
hours. Therefore every member of
the association is invited to come
early and stay late.

DISEASES OF THE SKIN.

The intense itching and smarting incident
to eczema, tetter, salt-rheum, and other
diseases of the skin is instantly allayed by
applying Chamberlain's Eye and Skin
Ointment. Many very bad cases have been
permanently cured by it. It is equally
efficient for itching piles and a favorite remedy
for sore nipples, chapped hands, chil-
blains, frost bites, and chronic sore eyes.
For sale by druggists at 25 cents per box.

TRY Dr. Cady's Condition Powders, they
are just what a horse needs when in bad condition.
Tonic, blood purifier and vermifuge.

PLEADED GUILTY.

Chas. Phillips, the Watch Thief,
Bound Over this Morning.

Chas. Phillips, the tramp who
went into Dr. Huntley's residence
yesterday and stole a gold watch be-
longing to Mrs. Huntley, was ar-
raigned before acting Mayor Mowen
this morning. He pleaded guilty to
a charge of larceny and was bound
over to common pleas court in the
sum of \$150.

He was taken to the county jail in
default of bail.

The Best for Children.

"I believe Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy is the best for children I
ever used. For croup, it is unequalled.
It is a splendid seller with us. T. M.
ECKLES, Ph. G., manager Wampum
Pharmacy, Wampum, Pa." When
used as soon as the first symp-
toms appear, that is as soon as the
child becomes hoarse, or even after
the croupy cough has appeared, it
will prevent the attack. The moth-
ers of croupy children should bear
this in mind and keep the remedy at
hand. It is also the best medicine
in the world for colds and whooping
cough. For sale at 25 and 50 cents
per bottle by Melville, the druggist,
old postoffice corner, and C. W. Heis-
ter, 58 public square.

UNAUTHORIZED

To Use the Name of St. Rose Church's
Pastor as an inducement.

Rev. Father Manning desires the
TIMES DEMOCRAT to state that neither
he nor St. Rose's congregation are
in any way interested in a young man
who is soliciting advertising matter
from local business men.

"I had chronic diarrhea for ten
years," says L. W. Kichlein, a justice
of the peace at South Easton, Pa.
"No remedy afforded me real relief
until I was induced by Chas. T. Kil-
ian, the druggist, to try Chamber-
lain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea
Remedy. It cured me and for a year
I have had no return of the trouble.
It has also cured many others, among
them old soldiers who had contracted
the disease in the army and given up
all hope of recovery. For sale by
Melville, the druggist, old postoffice
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Winter Underwear.
A great stock of Winter Underwear
is here, at especially inviting prices.
These are opportunities to save
money at every turn as you have
never saved money before, and the
saying is doubly satisfactory because
the qualities are the best obtainable,
at BLUM's Underwear Department.
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WANTED.

WANTED—Good girl for general house
work at 41 West Spring street. Good
wages to respectable person.

LOST—Brown and white terrier dog, belongs
to the name of Harry. A liberal re-
ward will be paid if returned to Adam Britz,
522 West Elm street.

LOST—With Ed—Between Court and
1st and Mrs. Murphy, a black and white dog
bearing two pairs of spectacles and wearing a
collar. Finder please return to Miss Edna
MacKenzie at county court house.

BURIAL OF MRS. ANN ROBB
To be Held from the Residence Thur-
day Morning

The funeral services of Mrs. Ada
Robb, whose death was announced in
the TIMES DEMOCRAT yesterday, will
be held from the Robb home on
North West street Thursday morning
at 10 o'clock.

"An ounce of prevention is better
than a pound of cure." Dr. Woods'
Norway Pine Syrup prevents con-
sumption by curing colds, and all
similar lung troubles.

Republican Rally at Findlay, Ohio.
Oct. 16th.

Agents of the Cincinnati, Hamil-
ton & Dayton railway will sell tickets
for the above occasion to Findlay and
return at one fare for the round trip,
good going and returning on date of
sale.

THE ENTERPRISING, THE FEARLESS, THE LIBERAL CLOTHIERS, FURNISHERS AND HATTERS.

THE MAMMOTH

AGAIN WITH YOU, AND WE ANNOUNCE TO-DAY

THE MOST MAGNIFICENT FIVE DAYS'

AUTUMN OPENING!

Ever witnessed in any mercantile establishment in Ohio, will occur at the Mammoth Clothing House, Commencing To-day,

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Oct. 13th.

Oct. 14th.

Oct. 15th.

Oct. 16th.

Oct. 17th.

GREETING!

THE MAMMOTH greets you again this season with a greater, grander and more exclusive stock of FINE CLOTHING, FURNISHINGS, HATS and CAPS than was ever shown in Northwestern Ohio. Always commanding ample cash and buying in connection with our many branch stores, gives us advantage possessed by no other house in Lima, and we give the public the benefit in prices twenty-five to forty per cent. lower than any other store in the city.

This is our seventh year in Lima. By breaking down high prices at the start, we won the confidence of the people, and have built up, with their assistance, an imperial business, which we transact in a palatial store, to which the humblest artisan is just as welcome, always, as the proudest millionaire. We stand ready to welcome everyone to our grand



fall and Winter Opening: Tuesday, Wednesday Thursday, Friday and Saturday

we promise that it shall be an event that will eclipse all the brilliant events of our past history, and be ever remembered as the most signal opening of a season's
business ever recorded by the press of the city.

OUR SOUVENIRS ARE BEAUTIFUL AND USEFUL, Our Own Importations.

We are going to inaugurate a new idea in serving the public in this FALL'S GRAND OPENING, which will avoid the crowding and jamming and at the same time
every one an opportunity to inspect our stock and take their own time and make themselves at home with us. As we have had the experience in our past openings,
above methods would be more satisfactory to the public, instead of being so jammed that it is impossible for anyone to inspect our stock or see the interior of our store.

In These Five Days, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, We Are
Going to Give to Each Person Purchasing Seventy-five Cents
Worth of Merchandise

ever, a beautiful and useful souvenir, every one worth the amount of the purchase you have to make. We do this to avoid the crowds of our former openings. Every-
one welcome whether you wish to purchase or not; come and see the beautiful things we have in men's and boys' wearing apparel.

THE MAMMOTH STORE,

The People's Favorite Clothiers, Haberdashers and Hatters.

THE VOTARIES OF HEALTH



FIND AIDS TO THEIR WORSHIP AT

MELVILLE'S PHARMACY.

There are gathered herbs, extracts and simples from every part of the habitable globe and and there they are accurately compounded. There you find

Pure Drugs, the Standard Proprietary Remedies, Toilet Articles and Fancy Goods,

Of the Best Quality, But in Quantities to Suit the Buyer.

MELVILLE'S,
OLD POSTOFFICE CORNER.

JACK

FROST has come to claim his own, and an Overcoat becomes essential to the man who makes it a point to be comfortable.

The question is "What kind of an Overcoat?" and "How much for it?" Leave it to your tailor and he says \$30. Leave it to us and we say \$15. All the difference in the world is the price; not a bit in the beauty or makeup.

Overcoats for \$8, \$10 and \$12 proportionately good.

MICHAEL.

MRS. KISSEL DEAD.

The Remains to be Taken to Bryan, O., for Interment.

Mrs. Fredericka Kissel, aged 74 years, mother of Jacob Kissel, died early this morning from heart failure, after four days' illness. The remains will be taken to Bryan, O., to-morrow for interment.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

Mrs. Emma Nogle, formerly of this city, died in Oakland, Cal., at the home of her sister, Mrs. S. N. Cook, Tuesday, Oct. 6, of consumption.

The funeral of Michael Noonan will occur to-morrow morning at 8:30 from St. Rose church, and the interment will be made in St. Rose cemetery.

All the ladies of the Church of Christ Aid Society are requested to meet at the church Wednesday, at 2 p.m. sharp. Important business.

The funeral of Mrs. Malinda Satherwaite will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, at Trinity M. E. church. Interment will take place at Woodlawn.

The funeral of Mrs. Isabel Cook will be held from St. Rose Catholic church to-morrow morning at 9:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Woodlawn cemetery.

A few days ago Henry Gallepie, living ten miles west of this city, killed a large grey eagle that had been carrying off little pigs from the neighboring pig pens for a couple of weeks. The eagle was an unusually large one of its kind, and is now in J. E. Grosjean's collection.

They Are Here.

Some time ago, when the political clubs were organized, the different clothing houses were invited to compete for the furnishing of the Campaign Hats. Mr. N. L. Michael's bid being the lowest of all he was awarded the contract to furnish both the Democratic and Republican clubs of the county. The hats have arrived and are ready for distribution. Mr. Michael don't talk loud but gets there on figures.

Attend the Sale.

Clearance sale of Mackintoshes for ladies and children at CARROLL & COONEY.

There will be a meeting of the South Side Democratic Club in their room this evening. Chas. H. Adkins and others will speak. There will be important business brought before the meeting.

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Judge Kerr, of Colorado, and Hugo Prior, of Ohio,

SPEAK FOR HONEST MONEY.

A Wonderful Display of Patriotism—The Audience Held Spellbound by Both Speakers—A Reply Challenged.

Hon. W. J. Kerr and Hugo Prior addressed the citizens of Lima last night in the city opera house. Notwithstanding the fact that a few intimidated voters and a large number of boys had left the city to attend the Republican farce at Spencerville, there were enough honest, working citizens left to crowd the opera house. It was the most enthusiastic crowd that has assembled in the opera house this campaign. The crowd was one representing the common people of this city, honest, well-to-do citizens—that class of citizens who compose the rank and file of our country, those who pay the taxes, those who labor and make riches for their employers. When a person saw the enthusiasm that was present it made him ask why it was that such a spirit of patriotism was displayed by the common people at all the silver campaign meetings, while there was not such a display of sincere interest manifested among those who attend the gold meetings. It is the spirit of patriotism, the love of home and country, the regard that the common people hold for their fellowmen, that inspired these men to step forward and assist in throwing off the golden yoke that is dragging down the laborer and producer and taking mortgaged farms from men who have honestly toiled to retain them.

Never has there been such a speech delivered in the opera house as was delivered last night by ex-Congressman Kerr, of Pueblo. His words were full of truth and patriotism, and he challenged any man to deny or attempt to refute any statement he made. He showed in a forcible way the present deplorable condition, and asked if it was prosperous times when you could see granaries filled to overflowing and factories filled with un sold products. In the face of the fact that factories are crowded with unsold goods, Major McKinley asks them to start the factories and produce more; what can they do with more, when what they have cannot be sold? He said that papers in other places had lied about him, had called him an anarchist and a revolutionist, but he had come to tell the truth with candor and patriotism, with malice toward none and charity for all.

This was his first appearance as a speaker in Ohio, but surely such a man as he will win hundreds of votes for silver wherever he goes. He said that we had had rich crops, but that in spite of this the people were neither prosperous nor happy. Independence and open display of patriotism does not prevail as it used to do. Merchants are reticent. The American people have changed. Men can be found everywhere who are timid and hesitate to wear a button, who fear to march in a parade and carry banners representing a people's cause, lest they offend their employer and lose their position—as he finished this statement there was tremendous applause, which alone would show that those statements were true.

The people this year he said had the greatest odds to fight against that was ever presented to the American people, the subsidized press, the purchased minister and every trust were against the cause; notwithstanding all these their still remains some patriotism which will win the cause. He said that ninety-five per cent of the National bankers, ninety-five per cent of the heads of the great monied concerns and all of the trusts—unlawful combinations—are arrayed for McKinley and against the people. Common instinct and horse sense would teach the people that there was danger facing them. These combinations are fastening the laborer's and farmer's hands. The good common sense of these men will urge them to vote against their tyrannies.

When the insurance men say they will have to pay out to policy holders a fifty-three cent dollar, they lie. If the National Banks thought that they could take a one hundred cent dollar from you and give you back fifty-three cents for a dollar, they would break their necks to elect Bryan.

The railroad officials to-day are taking their laborers, free of charge, in Pullman cars to see McKinley, when only a short time ago they knocked at the governor's doors and asked for troops to shoot down these same railroad men. But then there was no Presidential election pending. Has the Republican platform ever from the time of its organization to the present time called upon the people to support the single gold standard, and how dare they denounce it now? The paid orators of monied kings are going around lying about the party's previous policies.

These orators say that the Government by its stamp imparts no value, but it is the bullion value that makes it valuable. The Supreme Court says "that a dollar is an ideal thing and purely

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DRUNKEN MEN

Galore Attend the Republican Meeting at Spencerville

The Marshal Unable to Keep Order Fights on Every Street Corner

The Republican demonstration at Spencerville yesterday afternoon and last night was a great farce. Never was there such a drunken and unruly crowd in that city as was there last night. Drunken men were galore. Fights occurred on every street corner, and the marshal was unable to maintain any degree of order. Fights were frequent and knives were drawn. A Republican and a railroad man from this city who was with the crowd said to a representative of the TIMES-DEMOCRAT that he never before saw such a drunken and disorderly crowd as there was at Spencerville. The intoxicated crowd cleaned out the saloons, and in one saloon broke up the billiard and pool tables.

The parade in the afternoon was composed of 146 persons and three carriages. 45 of the 146 persons were girls who were hired, and they yelled for Bryan, while the others yelled for McKinley. The Venedocia, Gomer and Delphos clubs numbered 63 and the Spencerville club had 38, only 3 of whom live in Spencerville.

In the evening the parade numbered 192.

Bushnell spoke in the afternoon. It was a Foraker meeting, and the McKinley contingent was not invited into the stand. Mr. Lewis, Republican candidate for prosecutor, when asked why he was not on the platform, answered "That is not my crowd."

In the evening Dr. MacLain, a Universalist minister from Greenville, tried to interest the howling mob, but had to give up in despair.

VERY HANDSOME

Engineers King and Moyer Have Made the Water Works Station.

Yesterday, a representative of the TIMES-DEMOCRAT had occasion to call at the city water works station and found the place as neat and tidy in appearance as a parlor car. Engineers King and Moyer have been at work for the past few weeks cleaning and repainting and varnishing the two monster engines and adding a new coat of varnish to the wood work on the interior of the engine room. The work has been done entirely at their own expense, and they are justly proud of the handsome appearance the station presents.

A GREAT QUESTION.

Is All Life the Product of Evolution?

The meeting of the Philosophical Society which occurs to-night at 8 o'clock in the circuit court room, promises to be both entertaining and instructive. The origin of man has always been a matter of absorbing interest, and since Darwin revealed to the world the results of his researches, it has been given an impetus which makes it still, and likely to continue, one of the foremost subjects of the age. Biology has never received such material contributions in money for buildings and apparatus and in human research, as in recent years. Dr. Fred. L. Bates, a man of scientific temperament, will read the principal essay and Rev. C. H. Eckhardt will lead the discussion, which is open to participation by not only members but the public as well. Everybody who thinks is heartily invited.

Notice, German Club

Mr. Ambrose Wertz, of Sidney, O., a prominent and eloquent orator, will address the German Club on the political issues of the day, next Wednesday evening 9-11-2-1.

The Superiority

of the styles and qualities of the fabrics and garments that are displayed at Blum's, together with the exceedingly moderate prices that prevail, are most interesting to every buyer of dry goods and cloaks. From the least expensive articles to the handsomest and most expensive furs the assortments are complete with the very best the markets afford. In buying dry goods and cloaks, you can't afford to pass G. E. Blum's, 57 Public Square, the dry goods and cloak house of Lima.

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Garments that were \$1.50, now 75c
Garments that were 1.75, now 98c
Garments that were 2.50, now \$1.25
Garments that were 4.00, now 2.98
Garments that were 6.50, now 3.98

G. E. BLUM,
57 Public Square.

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Brakeman Barringer, of the L. E. & W., is laying off.

Conductor A. M. Johnston, of the L. E. & W., is laying off. Conductor T. E. Davis is running his car.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

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WITH A MEAT AX

Mrs. Chipman Slashes Mrs. Scanlon's Head and Face.

A DESPERATE STRUGGLE.

Each claims to have been insulted by the other—Mrs. Chipman arrested on a charge of assault with intent to kill.

About 11 o'clock to-day Mrs. E. S. Scanlon, a widowed woman who occupies rooms on the second floor at the north side of the Commercial block, was assaulted by Mrs. La ra Chipman, who, armed with a butchers-meat cleaver, attacked her in her own apartments and began chopping her head and face with the formidable weapon. The first blow of the meat ax cut Mrs. Scanlon's right ear in two, and left gash the length of the sharp-edged blade, commencing above her ear and reaching down the right side of her head and neck and below the collar bone. Again the horrible weapon was raised and again it descended upon Mrs. Scanlon's head, and she only saved her life by staying the force of the blow with her arm and pushing her vicious antagonist back far enough that only the blunt end of the cleaver struck her above the left eye and above the left cheek bone.

THE TWO WOMEN CLINCHED,

then a battle for possession of the heavy cleaver began. Mrs. Scanlon, being the heavier of the two, managed to gradually force her antagonist backwards. They swayed to and fro through the hallway of the block, each clutching desperately to the cleaver, for fear the other would get possession of it and strike a fatal blow. Gradually Mrs. Chipman was forced backwards until she was within a few feet of the stairway descending to Main street. Then with a mighty effort Mrs. Scanlon, nearly blinded with the blood that was streaming from the wounds in her face and head and frenzied with excitement and pain, tore the weapon from the other woman's hand and became master of the situation. Mrs. Scanlon could then have chopped Mrs. Chipman down with the huge knife but she only wanted possession of the weapon in order to protect herself and did not close to

ASSUME THE OFFENSIVE

when the situation was reversed.

After losing possession of the cleaver, Mrs. Chipman hastened away, and Mrs. Scanlon was assisted back into her apartments, where Drs. Hupley and McCall were summoned to dress her wounds. Several stitches were necessary to draw the flesh together, and the physicians stated that when the cleaver gashed Mrs. Scanlon's neck it was frightfully near her jugular vein.

The trouble between the two women arose last night. Mrs. Scanlon is a dressmaker, and she and her daughter occupy rooms in the block. Mrs. Chipman is the wife of Clem Chipman, the saloon keeper who occupies adjoining apartments. Last night Chipman went to Spencerville. Mrs. Scanlon claims that Mrs. Chipman and two other women made so much noise that she could not sleep, and she requested them to keep quiet. From there the stories differ, each claiming that the other called her vile names.

Mrs. Chipman secured the cleaver at a meat market and had it poised above Mrs. Scanlon's head before the latter discovered who her visitor was.

Mrs. Chipman was arrested by detective Roney and patrolman Cretinger and charged with assault with

intent to kill. She pleaded not guilty and was placed under \$400 bond. The case will be given a preliminary hearing Thursday.



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It is easy enough to assert broadly that we sell Dress Goods cheaper than any other house in town. That doesn't mean anything. So we just set the prices down for your inspection. That is our almost invariable method. We desire that patrons should have an idea of what they have to expect, without the trouble of a tour of inspection. Of course the bargains here quoted are not the only ones for the week. There are a great many others, but the following will serve as a sort of suggestion:

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Garments that were 1.75, now 98c

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